

Culture in Cowboyland: Fort Worth, Texas to Tulsa, Oklahoma



Kimbell Art Museum, Fort Worth, Texas

EDITOR'S PICKS: Our way of sharing with you those special things we call "Best of the Road®"

■ DEGOLYER GARDEN CAFÉ

This chic but friendly lunch spot offers a bit of refined British-style repast in the midst of the Dallas Arboretum's flowery profusion.

8525 Garland Rd., Dallas, TX 75218
(214) 515-6500, www.dallasarboretum.org

■ CIERRA FURNITURE

Find eclectic, affordable treasures for the home from Morocco, India, and elsewhere.

2920 N. Henderson Ave., Dallas, TX 75206
(214) 887-8772, www.cierrainteriors.com

■ KIMBELL ART MUSEUM

Though small in size, the museum is impressive in breadth, with works by Fra Angelico, El Greco, Picasso, Monet, and others.

3333 Camp Bowie Blvd., Fort Worth, TX 76107
(817) 332-8451, www.kimbellart.org

■ WATER TAXI

A shallow, lovely canal winds through the city's Bricktown neighborhood, and \$7 grants all-day access to the small boats that glide along it.

111 Mickey Mantle Dr., Oklahoma City, OK 73104
(405) 234-8294, www.bricktownwatertaxi.com

■ BEDRE FINE CHOCOLATE

Tours of the shop and facility include the chance to watch liquid chocolate flow Willy Wonka-style before it solidifies into gourmet treats.

2001 W. Airline Rd., Pauls Valley, OK 73075
(405) 207-9320, www.bedrechocolates.com

■ TULSA GLASSBLOWING STUDIO

Visitors to this non-profit glass studio and school can buy a handmade vase or ornament or make their own glass flower with help from founder Sarah Diggdon and other instructors.

19 E. Brady, Tulsa, OK 74103
(918) 582-4527, www.tulsaglassblowing.org

MORE GREAT STOPS

NORTH PARK CENTER

More than 200 luxury retail stores draw hardcore shoppers to one of the top five largest malls in the U.S.

8687 North Central Expy.
Dallas, TX 75225
(214) 361-6345
www.northparkcenter.com

TOM TOM ASIAN GRILL & SUSHI BAR

Take a chopstick from your table's centerpiece and sample pan-Asian offerings such as chicken-coconut curry.

3699 McKinney Ave. Ste. C319
Dallas, TX 75204
(214) 522-1237
www.tomtomasiangrill.com

LONE STAR WINES

A well-stocked shop offers little-known wines and beers, all made in Texas.

140 E. Exchange Ave.
Fort Worth, TX 76106
(817) 626-1601
No website available

FRED JONES JR. MUSEUM OF ART

"The Fred" houses one of the largest donations of French Impressionist art ever made to an American public university.

555 Elm Ave.
Norman, OK 73019
(405) 325-4938
www.ou.edu/fjjma

NATIONAL COWBOY AND WESTERN HERITAGE MUSEUM

Fine art by masters such as Remington and Russell bring to life scenes of the Old and New West.

1700 NE 63rd St.
Oklahoma City, OK 73111
(405) 478-2250
www.nationalcowboymuseum.org

PANADERIA LA HERRADURA

Tastes of Mexico such as sugary pink homemade cookies and guava soda pop await in a small bakery.

2235 SW 14th St.
Oklahoma City, OK 73108
(405) 232-3502
No website available

TOY AND ACTION FIGURE MUSEUM

Pop culture goes wild in this museum dedicated to all things superhero (and villain).

111 S. Chickasaw
Pauls Valley, OK 73075
(405) 238-6300
www.actionfiguremuseum.com

BOSTON AVE. UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Free tours take visitors through one of the most awe-inspiring examples of Art Deco architecture in the world.

1301 S. Boston Ave.
Tulsa, OK 74119
(918) 583-5181
www.bostonavenue.org

LINNAEUS TEACHING GARDEN

Watch artists at work as painters often dot the flower-filled public grounds here.

2435 S. Peoria Ave.
Tulsa, OK 74114
(918) 746-5125
www.tulsagardencenters.com

TOURISM INFORMATION

Dallas Convention & Visitors Bureau
www.visitdallas.com

Dallas/Fort Worth Area Tourism Council
www.visitdallas-fortworth.com

Oklahoma City Convention & Visitors Bureau
www.okcvb.org

Norman Convention & Visitors Bureau
www.visitnorman.com

Pauls Valley Chamber of Commerce
www.paulsvalley.com

Tulsa Convention & Visitors Bureau
www.visittulsa.com